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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR RECORDING A PRESENTATION FOR

ON-DEMAND VIEWING OVER A COMPUTER NETWORK

TERMINAL DISCLAIMER TO OBVIATE A DOUBLE PATENTING

REJECTION OVER A PRIOR PATENT

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TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE:

Your petitioner, Microsoft Corporation of Redmond, Washington, is the owner of the entire interest of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/431,678, and of the above application by an assignment of the inventor of the above-identified patent application.

Assignment from the inventors to Microsoft Corporation of priority U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/431,678 was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on February 2, 2000 at Reel 010528, Frame 0167.

Assignments from the inventors to Microsoft Corporation of the subject U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/533,049 were recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on March 22, 2000 at Reel 010695, Frame 0410; on March 22, 2000 at Reel 010695, Frame 0413; and on July 26, 2000 at Reel 011003/0922.

The undersigned is the attorney of record in this matter. The undersigned has reviewed the documents in the chain of title of the above-identified patent application, and to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee identified above.

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The terminal disclaimer fee of \$110.00 under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d) is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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